

REMARKS

Claims 47-53, 56-82 are active in this application. Support for Claims 68-82 is found in the specification on page 30, line 35 to page 31, line 20. No new matter is added.

Claim 47 and those claims dependent on Claim 47 have been amended to remove the following substituents for R¹:

- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl substituted with cyclo(lower)alkyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl
- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl substituted with cyclo(lower)alkyl having lower alkyl
- benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having pentyl
- benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having hexyl
- benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having butoxy
- benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having higher alkoxy
- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl(lower)alkyl having phenyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl

Ohki et al discloses cyclic peptides having a radical substituent (R¹) where R¹ can be benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having higher alkoxy (Ex. 53, page 174). However, the present claims do not include a radical substituent where where R¹ can be benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having higher alkoxy. Therefore, Ohki et al do not anticipate the present claims.

Furthermore, Ohki et al do not disclose the polypeptide of formula (I) wherein R¹ is

- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl substituted with piperidyl substituted with cyclo(lower)alkyl,
- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl substituted with piperidyl having higher alkyl,

- benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl substituted with cyclo(lower)alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having phenyl having cyclo(lower)alkyloxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having phenyl having morpholinyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having phenyl having phenyl(lower)alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having piperidyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having piperidyl having higher alkyl,
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- benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having phenyl(lower)alkyl having lower alkoxy,
benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl having
cyclo(lower)alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having cyclo(lower)alkyl having lower alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having hydroxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having hydroxy and phenyl having lower alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperidyl having phenyl having lower alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with thiadiazolyl having phenyl having methoxy
 - benzoyl substituted with 1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with 1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridyl having phenyl having lower
alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with thienyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with thienyl having phenyl having lower alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with furyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with furyl having phenyl having lower alkoxy,
 - benzoyl substituted with piperazinyl(lower)alkyl,
 - benzoyl substituted with phenyl(lower)alkynyl, benzoyl substituted with
phenyl(lower)alkynyl having phenyl having lower alkoxy,

- lower alkanoyl substituted with thiazolyl,
- lower alkanoyl substituted with thiazolyl having phenyl having phenyl substituted with lower alkoxy,
- benzoyl substituted with imidazothiazolyl,
- benzoyl substituted with imidazothiazolyl having phenyl having lower alkoxyl,
- benzoyl substituted with imidazothiazolyl having phenyl having phenyl substituted

with lower alkoxyl,

- benzoyl substituted with imidazothiazolyl having phenyl having phenyl,
- benzoyl substituted with isoxazolyl having halogen,
- benzoyl substituted with isoxazolyl having halogen having phenyl having lower alkyl,
- 4-[5-(4-pentyloxyphenyl)isoxazol-3-yl]benzoyl

when R^2 is hydroxy, hydroxysulfonyloxy, or lower alkoxy, such that R^2 is not hydroxysulfonyloxy when R^1 is 4-[5-(4-pentyloxyphenyl)isoxazol-3-yl]benzoyl.

Therefore, Applicants request that the rejection over Ohki et al be withdrawn.

Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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